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**NOTIFICATION OF CHANGE IN
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Dear Sir:

The below-signed attorney of record for the above-identified U.S. patent application wishes to notify the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office that the Notice of Allowance dated May 8, 2008, is incorrect in that it indicates the application as having small entity status. The application was filed as a large entity and has been treated throughout prosecution as a large entity. Thus, the indication of small entity status on the Notice of Allowance is erroneous, and Applicants' attorney requests that small entity status be revoked.

Respectfully submitted,

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